

Methodist Church To Sponsor Young Peoples Group

The Roseburg Methodist Church plans to sponsor a group of single, young people between the ages of 18 and 35.

Interested young people met recently to discuss the formation of the organization which will provide fun and fellowship. The group will be under the leadership of the Rev. H. James Jenkins, pastor of the Methodist Church, with the Rev. Ray Pointdexter, pastor of the Canyonville Methodist Church, assisting. Rev. Jenkins has emphasized the group will be inter-denominational.

A further planning meeting is scheduled the latter part of the week, at which time a tentative program will be set up.

Glendale Roadmaster Buried In Portland

Thomas Nelson, 60, roadmaster for the Southern Pacific Co. at Glendale for the last four years, is being buried in Portland today.

He died at the Southern Pacific Hospital in San Francisco Sept. 26 after several weeks of hospitalization.

Burial is scheduled in the Lincoln Memorial Cemetery in Portland.

He is survived by his wife, Gladys. One child preceded him in death a number of years ago.

New Volcanic Island Growing More Rapidly

LAGENS, Azores (U)—The new volcanic island rising from the Atlantic near Fayal Island was growing rapidly in width and height Wednesday.

Reports received at Lagens Airfield said the island was now 90 feet above sea level and was spreading out at a rate of 300 feet every 12 hours. It already had overlapped the shore of Fayal Island.

Smoke clouds climbed more than 18,000 feet and ashes were falling on St. George Island, 35 miles northwest of Fayal.

The reports said eruptions were less frequent but more violent. The disturbance was first noted last week 500 yards off Fayal. The Azores Islands are all of volcanic origin.

Dynamite Blast Victim Files Damage Suit

A man injured in a dynamite blast while working for the Upco Logging Co., Myrtle Creek, Aug. 18, 1954, has filed suit in circuit court for additional compensation for his injuries.

Ray Shelton said that he suffered injuries to many parts of his body in the accident.

The State Industrial Accident Commission, according to Shelton, has awarded him compensation for his disabilities equal to 100 per cent loss of vision in his left eye; 10 per cent of the loss of function of his right leg; and 25 per cent of loss of use of an arm, the latter for unscheduled injuries.

Shelton seeks to increase his compensation to: 100 per cent loss of an arm for injuries to his back, head and teeth; 100 per cent loss of vision of his left eye; 15 per cent loss of vision of his right eye; 35 per cent loss of use of his right leg; and 25 per cent loss of use of his right arm.

Outsiders Are Blamed For Trouble At School

MATOKA, W. Va. (U)—School officials today blamed teen-agers outside of school and other persons for instigating anti-integration demonstrations in this southern West Virginia mining community.

Six Negro students were sent home from Matoka High School Tuesday after a group of white students roughed up two of them, both boys, as they entered school.

State police quickly intervened and the Negro boys went inside the school, where four Negro girls already had entered. All six were later sent home in a taxi cab by the principal while about 200 white students demonstrated outside the school and refused to enter. The school has an enrollment of 670.

"As far as I know, the colored students will be in class today," Principal Ralph Bird said.

HIT-RUN CHARGED

Hit-run driving was reported to state police Tuesday by R. B. Richardson, 1418 SE Micelli. He called from the Log Cabin Cafe on Highway 99 South and said a 1952 car had struck the left rear of his vehicle and had kept going.



BORGES-MAUNOURY ... resigns premiership

President Coty Seeks Solution On New Premier

PARIS (U)—Political leaders continued to move in and out of Elysee Palace Wednesday to talk with President Rene Coty about solutions to France's government crisis.

Coty was tackling the job of finding a premier for the fifth time since he started his seven-year term as president and this time his task was harder than ever. The National Assembly, which defeated Premier Maurice Bourgès-Maunoury Monday on a confidence vote over Algeria, was torn by dissension.

Any new government must find some measure of agreement on dealing with the two prime issues—Algeria's future and the runaway inflation in France—before daring to go before Parliament for approval.

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Mrs. Mangat's Funeral To Be Held Thursday

Funeral services for Marguerite L. Mangat, 41, Vernonia, who was killed in a car accident near Cornelius Saturday, will be Thursday at 2 p.m. in the chapel of Ganz Mortuary, Myrtle Creek.

Vault interment will follow in the Civil Bend Cemetery at Winston.

Mrs. Mangat was born in Portland April 6, 1916. She lived in Canyonville between 1930 and 1938 and for the past 18 years had lived in Vernonia.

She is survived by her mother and stepfather, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leiser of Canyonville; a son, Fredrick, and a daughter, Martha, both of Vernonia.

Hospital News

Douglas Community Hospital
Admitted: Mrs. H. L. Sanders, Mrs. Milton Schweppe, Roseburg; Bernice Hammersmith, Sutherlin.
Discharged: Mrs. Emery Allen and baby, Hazel Marie, Oakland; Mrs. Lloyd Erwin and baby, Geraldine Ann, James Scott, Roseburg; Benjamin Williams, Mrs. Martin Colbert, Sutherlin; William Banks, Camas Valley.

Mercy Hospital
Admitted: Mrs. Alvin Bosworth, Kevin Foltz, Roseburg.
Discharged: Lawrence LeBlau, Mrs. Frank Buell, Roseburg; William Barker, Glidde, Dick Naas, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Thomas Huebner and baby, Robert Scott, Reedsport.

Travelling Troupe Will Present Play Here

A travelling troupe of children will present a two-act play titled "Young Ben, Printer," in Roseburg Saturday night, Oct. 5.

The play, enacted by a group known as the Children's Theater of the West, concerns an incident in the boyhood of Benjamin Franklin. The production is sponsored by the American Assn. of University Women.

The play will be presented at Central Junior High School and tickets will be available at the door or from members of the Women's group.



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Mildred Strader Funeral Service Held In Eugene

Funeral services were held at the Pools Larsen Funeral Home in Eugene, Sept. 30 at 11 a.m. for Miss Mildred (Millie) Strader, 2, former resident of Douglas County.

She was born near Dixonville July 15, 1874, the daughter of John and Martha Jane Strader, and made her home in the Roseburg area for many years. The later years of her life were spent in San Francisco, where she passed away Sept. 26, after a short illness.

Miss Strader was preceded in death by a number of brothers and sisters and is survived by several nieces, nephews and other relatives who live in the Roseburg, Portland and Prineville areas.

Concluding services were held at Westlawn Memorial Cemetery in Eugene.

Fir Plywood Monopoly Charge Made At Meet

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ducts, but we don't want to be restricted in our quality and price is comparable," said McKee.

He added that his firm would take the same stand even if it was a member of DFPA.

McKee also voiced the opinion that the government timber sale program is in need of improvement even though it has been improved extensively in the last few years.

Small Firms Affected

As an example of the system as it existed previously, he said Pacific Plywood has made payments amounting to three-fourths of the total price of a government timber stand before the firm was able to remove the timber. He said many small firms cannot operate under such a system.

And, said McKee, producers should be able to pay for federal timber on the basis of what they get instead of what the Bureau of Land Management estimates is included in a stand.

He said the government often under-estimates the amount of timber in a stand and sells it at a price based on the estimate.

Pulp Plant Favored

Speaking before the Sutherlin chamber of Commerce Tuesday evening, Porter pointed to Douglas County as "the favored area for a pulp mill. He commented that such a plant would cost from 30 to 50 million dollars.

Porter also said that he plans to contact an executive vice president of this company (unnamed) to discuss the possibilities of such a plant.

The congressman also talked of flood control.

He plans to present a bill for flood control on the Umpqua River to the National Congress, but he added that before he can present such a bill, a feasibility report from the Army Corps of Engineers is necessary.

"A \$27,100 study is now under way on the Umpqua, he said, by the Army Engineers and that their feasibility report should be forthcoming.

When Porter had concluded, Sutherlin Mayor C. A. Petherick promised full cooperation of the community in any way possible for a flood control program on the Umpqua.

James O. Stone, office manager of the Douglas Electric Cooperative, has been named as one of five section leaders in the Central Douglas United Fund campaign, which starts in central Douglas communities next Wednesday.

His section is composed of five divisions. They and their chairmen are: Vic Bakala, automotive; Mike Yost, building materials; Ron Noel, contractors; and Frank Dixon, farm equipment and supplies. One of the division positions hasn't been filled.

Wayne Schulz, executive director of the YMCA here, will act as Stone's section secretary.

Stone has lived in Roseburg for 10 years. His wife, Sophia, is well known in Roseburg real estate circles. They have a son and are members of the Lutheran Church.

Stone is a member of the Masons, Elks, Fullerton Dads' Club and Fullerton PTA.

Funeral For Mrs. Zeller To Be Held Here Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. Nora Annette Zeller, 84, resident of Roseburg for the last 21 years, who died at a local hospital Monday, will be held in the chapel of Long & Orr Mortuary Friday at 2 p.m.

The Rev. H. James Jenkins of the First Methodist Church will officiate. Concluding services and interment will follow in the Roseburg Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Zeller is survived by six children, the Rev. Harley Zeller of Chiloquin; Dean, Coos Bay; Dale and Vern, Roseburg; Mrs. Bruce (Ferne) Yeager, Roseburg, and Glenn, Springfield; 16 grandchildren, and 16 great-grandchildren.

Aid Offered Applicants For Naturalization

LeRoy Schilling of the U.S. Department of Justice, Portland, will be in Roseburg Oct. 9 for the purpose of assisting applicants for naturalization in the filing of their petitions.

Schilling will be available from 10:30 a.m. to noon and from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. on the third floor of the Douglas County Court House. He will conduct interviews with persons having citizenship problems.

ASIAN FLU HITS GREECE
ATHENS, Greece (U)—An Asian flu epidemic rapidly spreading to the remotest corners of Greece has so far caused 35 deaths. The Education Ministry has ordered all schools closed for a fortnight.

Wraps Taken Off Mechanical Pilot

BALTIMORE (U)—The Air Force today took the wraps off a mechanical navigator which can plot a course anywhere on the globe, compute the speed and drift of the airplane and signal when the destination is reached.

The Air Research and Development Command actually disclosed the details of six Doppler Radar self-contained aircraft navigation systems. At the same time, it told about an airborne north-seeking gyro compass which is the principal component of the systems.

"So accurate is the Doppler navigation system that after a 1,000-mile flight, an aircraft will arrive within a circle 12 miles in diameter around the destination," the ARDC said.

The systems have been and are being built now, ARDC added, and are the result of a project started in 1945 at its Wright Air Development Command in Dayton, Ohio.

The six systems described range from a compact unit weighing only 110 pounds to a giant 725 pounds which takes up 21.5 cubic feet of space. They have been designed for use in virtually any Air Force plane, from helicopters to the biggest bombers.

The Doppler Radar system uses a principle discovered in 1842 by the Austrian physicist Christian Doppler.

T. E. Noblin Convicted Of Assault By Jury

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that when the car went past him, a rifle was pointed out the window at him.

Douglas Watson, Myrtle Creek, said he had seen the commotion but had not seen the rifle at any time. Calvin H. Roswell, another prosecution witness, said he had seen Campbell grappling with another man with both apparently falling down.

An attempt by Slocum to get a judgment of acquittal was overruled by Judge Charles S. Woodrich. Slocum argued that the rifle was unloaded, according to testimony, and that at no time was Noblin in any position to have used it as a club. The lawyer also claimed there had been nothing put into the record to show that Noblin and Reavis had acted in concert as charged in the indictment. There was nothing to indicate agreement to assault anyone with a dangerous weapon.

Lawrence L. Richards, a defense witness, told of being with Reavis and Noblin at the time of the alleged affray. He described events of the evening and said it was Noblin who had taken the gun from the car and left it at the trashpound grounds.

Richards was arrested with Noblin and Reavis following the Riddle incident. However, he was not indicted by the grand jury.

The last witness called was Lyle C. Dickinson, deputy sheriff. Taking the stand as a prosecution witness, the officer told the jury that with a rifle of the type in evidence—a pump model—it is possible for ammunition to stick in the magazine despite working of the action.

In final arguments, Thompson told the jury it is the duty of an officer to take his man into custody and that under the law may use all reasonable force necessary to effect arrest. He said the inference was that the rifle was loaded at the time it was aimed at Campbell. He charged that the officer didn't use enough force to effect an arrest.

Slocum charged that Thompson would make a "police state of

Soble Sorry For Crimes

NEW YORK (U)—Tears filling his eyes and his hands trembling, confessed spy Jack Soble said Tuesday he deeply regrets the crimes he committed against his country. He asked for mercy from the country he schemed to betray.

The 53-year-old former head of a Soviet intelligence ring in the United States told Federal Judge Richard H. Levett:

"I cannot forgive myself. I had plenty of opportunity to straighten out my life since I came to this country and I didn't do it."

Soble appeared before Levett for sentencing. He had pleaded guilty to conspiring to obtain national defense secrets, knowing the information would be transmitted to the Soviet Union.

Levett said he would impose sentence next Tuesday. He also will rule on motions to reduce the 5½-year sentences he imposed Aug. 9 on Soble's wife Myra, 53, and Jacob Albam, 64.

Kansas Local Still Picketing

KANSAS CITY (U)—A local of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers kept picketing marching at facilities of the Kansas City Power and Light Co. Wednesday after once agreeing to withdraw them.

William H. James, business manager of Local 146, said the reversal resulted from the firing of 11 power station employees on the ground they left their posts Monday night before they were relieved.

The picketing idled about 7,000 union workers. Supervisory employees maintained the company's electric service to the Kansas City metropolitan area.

The tie-up is in defiance of the state of Missouri, which seized the utility Aug. 31 after three local unions of the union had been on strike six days in a wage dispute.

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Paris Welcomes Jayne With Art

PARIS (U)—Paris found itself more gifted with drawings than with words in welcoming Jayne Mansfield to town.

Figaro, a newspaper usually given over to things serious, Wednesday frontpaged a drawing not only a pair of lovely bosoms on herself, but a pair on her toy Pekinese. Moreover, on an inside page her airplane came flying into town wearing a brassiere pinching the plane's nose into alluring folds.

Miss Mansfield visited the Paris vegetable market Tuesday night and kissed a cabbage—one of the few which got through despite the farm strike. The strong arm boys who handle the big loads scuffled for the cabbage as a souvenir.

But L'Aurore pointed out that she had found her match in Paris. The Venus de Milo, the paper said, is 6 feet 7 inches tall, with a bust 4½ inches bigger than Jayne's.

Douglas County." He said Noblin was merely trying to protect a friend "who was naving the whey beaten out of him."

Unless used as a club, Slocum told the jury, a rifle which was unloaded could not be used as a dangerous weapon.

Arkansas People Would Have To Vote For Closure

EL DORADO, Ark. (U)—Arkansas voters would have to amend the state constitution before any valid legislation for closing of public schools could be enacted, Arkansas Atty. Gen. Bruce Bennett said here Tuesday.

One of the more extreme suggestions in the current controversy over integration in Little Rock Central High School is that the Legislature be asked, at a proposed special session, to close the schools. The suggestion apparently has gained little popular support.

Speaks To Club

Bennett called attention of a civic club to a constitutional provision which specifies that all children shall be given a free education.

"The word shall is significant," Bennett said, "and I seriously doubt that any school district could be abolished by the Legislature without furnishing other school facilities for students."

Bennett said later that his remarks had no relation to anti-integration acts which were passed by the Legislature this year and now are the subject of litigation in both federal and state courts.

As attorney general, he is charged with the official duty of defending validity of the acts. He has filed responses in the suits declaring that the laws are legal.

535 STUDENTS
CORVALLIS (U)—Oregon State College had 535 students pledged to its 30 fraternities at the end of the first rush day of the fall semester Monday.

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